



**Pastor:**  
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# Welcome to St. Dominic Church

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## Celebration of The Most Holy Trinity

June 4, 2023

**First Reading: Exodus 34:4b-6, 8-9**

**Second Reading: 2 Corinthians 13:11-13**

**Gospel: John 3:16-18**



## Parish Organizations, Committees and Ministries

**Websites:** St. Dominic Church [www.saintdominicbreese.org](http://www.saintdominicbreese.org)  
Diocese of Belleville [www.diobelle.org](http://www.diobelle.org)  
Knights of Columbus [www.breeseknights.org](http://www.breeseknights.org)  
Mater Dei High School [www.materdeiknights.org](http://www.materdeiknights.org)  
All Saints Academy [www.asasaints.com](http://www.asasaints.com)

**Sunday Masses:**  
**Saturday Vigil 5:30pm**  
**Sunday 11am**

**Weekday Masses:**  
**8am: Monday, Tuesday,**  
**Wednesday and Friday**

**Holy Day Masses:**  
**8am, 12:10pm, & 7pm**

**Confessions:**  
**4:30pm on Saturday**  
**or by appointment**

**Baptism & Marriage:**  
**For arrangement please**  
**contact the Parish office**

**Bulletin Deadline:**  
**Wednesday at Noon**

**Office Hours:**  
**Mon. – Fri. 9am-5pm**

**Office Staff:**  
**Tom Kannall**  
**Office Manager**  
**John Hilmes**  
**Office Secretary**  
**526-7746**

**All Saints Academy**  
**Kahiwalani Goetsch**  
**Principal**  
**Dustin McSparin**  
**Office Manager**  
**295 N. Clinton St.**  
**526-4323**

**Mater Dei High School**  
**Dennis Litteken**  
**Principal**  
**900 N. Mater Dei Dr.**  
**526-7216**

**Parish Council**  
**Diane Grapperhaus**  
**Mike Klein - Vice Pres.**  
**Mary Kay Wiegmann- Sec**  
**Adam Becker - Pres.**  
**Joan Meredith**  
**Katie Unverfehrt**  
**Diane Kuhl**  
**Stacey Becker**  
**Dale Hemen**

**Trustees**  
**Suann Fields**  
**Steve Usselman**

**Adult Servers**  
**Mary Ellen Detmer**

**Adoration**  
**Rich Carlton**

**Altar Sodality**  
**Maribeth Detmer-Pres.**  
**Staci Becker (Matt) V-P**

**Building & Maintenance**  
**Dave Kruep**  
**Adam Becker**

**Choirs, Cantors,**  
**Musicians**  
**Leah Loddeke**

**Church Decorating**  
**Aggie Dumstorff**

**Community Committee**  
**Diane Grapperhaus**  
**Katie Unverfehrt**

**Eucharistic Ministers**  
**Fr. Pat Peter**

**First Friday/Homebound**  
**Ministry**  
**Fr. Pat Peter**

**Finance Committee**  
**Mary Kay Wiegmann**

**Golden Egg**  
**Stacey Becker**  
**Adam Becker**  
**Katie Unverfehrt**

**Lectors**  
**Rod Kloeckner**

**Liturgy Committee**  
**Amy Koch**  
**Joan Meredith**  
**Katie Unverfehrt**

**Media Committee**  
**Mike Klein**  
**Paul Klostermann**

**Men's Sodality**  
**John Becker**

**Picnic Executives**  
**Jeff Niemeyer**  
**Lauren Melton**  
**Remie Vail**  
**Brian Albers**  
**Ian Timmermann**

**Prayer Ministry**  
**Parish Office**

**Rosary Leaders**  
**Connie Robben**

**RCIA**  
**Fr. Pat Peter**

**Sacristans**  
**Helen Essenpreis**  
**Dot Baumann**  
**Bonnie Ritzheimer**

**Servers**  
**Fr. Pat**

**Spiritual Formation**  
**Laurie Klostermann**  
**Joan Meredith**

**Stewardship Committee**  
**Mary Hoffmann**  
**Laurie Klostermann**

**Ushers**  
**Rich Eilermann**

**Welcoming Committee**  
**Dot Bauman**  
**Diane Grapperhaus**  
**Mary Kay Wiegmann**

**Youth Faith Formation**  
**Dan Robben**

**Youth Ministry**  
**Diane Klostermann**

### Mass Intentions

#### Sat., June 3

**8:30am:** Rosary

**9:00am:** Padre Pio Mass

**10:30am:** Funeral of Tami Lazier

**1:00pm:** Wedding of  
Kristen Thomas & Dillon Smith

**5:30pm:** Ernest Lange  
Julie Garcia

#### Sun., June 4

**11:00am:** Bernice & Earl Duncan  
Tina Andia Rabo

#### Mon. June 5

**8:00am:**

Newly Ordained Deacons of the Diocese

**Adoration from 1pm-7pm**

#### Tues. June 6

**8:00am:**

Those that suffer from visual impairment.

**(N.H.) 10:00am:**

Strength in Accepting God's Will.

#### Wed. June 7

**8:00am:** Steven Helmink

#### Thurs., June 8

**NO MASS**

#### Fri., June 9

**8:00am:** Those discerning and those  
in the Seminary.

#### Sat., June 10

**5:30pm:** Norb & Nellie Wieter

#### Sun., June 11

**11:00am:** Steven Helmink  
Norb & Dee Ottensmeier

### Last Week's Stewardship

|                        |            |
|------------------------|------------|
| Ash Wednesday          | \$15.00    |
| Holy Thursday          | \$20.00    |
| Good Friday            | \$20.00    |
| Easter                 | \$25.00    |
| Sunday                 | \$5,237.00 |
| Envelopes              | \$4,605.00 |
| Loose                  | \$171.00   |
| Adopted                | \$33.00    |
| Comm. Campaign         | \$23.00    |
| Catholic Home Ministry | \$20.00    |
| Seminarians            | \$305.00   |
| Needy                  | \$3.00     |
| Tuition Assistance     | \$230.00   |
| Building               | \$200.00   |
| Online                 | \$3,270.00 |

Thank you for your generous donations.

## ***Save the Date: St. Dominic Parish Picnic is June 17th***

### **EVENTS THIS WEEK**

**Sun., June 4:** Youth Ministry Meeting at 12pm in Cafeteria

**Mon., June 5:** Adoration from 1pm-7pm.

**Tues., June 6:** Liturgy meeting at 7pm in the annex

**Wed., June 7: Parents,** don't forget to register your children for YFF.

**Thur., June 8:** Fr. Pat's Day Off

**39th Weekly Raffle Winner:** Father Pat

**Congratulations!** To newlyweds Dillon Smith & Kristen (Thomas) Smith. May God guide them and lead their lives together in happiness and holiness, through good times and bad, sickness and health, for as long as they both shall live.

### **The I-Dood-It and Basket Raffle stands are in need of donations.**

If you would like to make a cash donation or donate any items, please place it in an envelope, or **have it marked "basket raffle" or "I DOOD IT"**. Any donation would be greatly appreciated! You can bring your donations up to the Parish office.

**Everyone,** please go to Sign-Up Genius via the email sent out earlier this week to everyone and volunteer to work a stand whenever you are available. If you are unable to use the link, or don't have an email, contact the Parish office at 618-526-7746 to sign up.

### **The next Baptismal Prep class is June 12th.**

**Lectors Needed:** If you would like to Lector at the nursing home Mass on Tuesday mornings at 10am, call the church office (618)526-7746 to sign up.

**YFF:** Youth Faith Formation is looking for a volunteer to teach 3rd graders religion on Wednesday nights. The only requirements is to be good with kids & to have a deep love of The Church and our faith. To sign-up, contact Dan Robben at dbrobben76@gmail.com or (618)-604-3792.

**Contribution Envelopes:** If you use "Online Giving" for your contributions to both St. Dominic and the Diocesan collections and no longer wish to receive the contribution envelopes in the mail, please contact John at the Parish Office to stop the mailings of the envelope packet. Thank you!!

Please call the office (618)-526-7746 if your address or phone number has changed. This allows us to update your contact information.

**Quilts:** Thank You to everyone who donated either a quilt or cash for the upcoming quilt bingo! We collected 40 beautiful quilts and purchased 14. We are still accepting donations. You may send or drop off your quilts or cash donations at the rectory office. **(Be sure to include your group members' names if you are bringing a quilt.)**

**Envelopes:** We **NEED** everyone to please pick up their family's raffle ticket envelope in the back of church. This would help greatly with not only the extra time it would take to mail them, but the cost of shipping as well. Please also if you know that a friend or family member won't be in church, grab their envelope/s for them.

**Interested in doing a Bible study?** Listen to Fr. Mike Schmitz's Bible in a Year podcast on Spotify or where ever you get your podcasts. 20 minutes a day, Fr. Mike reads the Bible and shares his reflections. If you have any questions, contact Diane at 618-910-9266.

**Interested in learning about the Catechism?** Fr. Mike Schmitz is hosting a Catechism in a Year podcast beginning January 1. Listen where ever you get your podcasts. If you want to understand more about what it means to be Catholic, Fr. Mike will help you.

**Grow closer to God** this Easter season! Pick up a copy of the devotional publication *The Word Among Us* and spend 5 to 10 minutes each day reflecting on the word of God in your life. Copies are located at the Church exits.

*The Word Among Us* features uplifting and thought-provoking meditation based on the daily Mass readings.

The June issue is on the Eucharist and is written by Cardinal Raniero Cantalamessa. The title is "This is My Body."

The July/August edition is about St. Paul, and the articles are written by *The Word Among Us* founder, Joe Difato. The title is "A Very Human Saint."

The September issue is on seeking to do the Father's will, and the title is "I Must Be in My Father's House."



**St. Mary Catholic Church in Carlyle is seeking a full or part-time Director of Evangelization and Family Faith Formation.** The director will be responsible for implementing a strategy of evangelization & faith formation that will equip parents to live out their vocation as primary formatters of their children and aid them in the task of discipling & ultimately commissioning their children to live out the universal call to spread the Gospel. This newly developed position offers a variety of opportunities for collaborative ministry. Requirements: Must be an actively practicing Catholic in good standing who assents to all the Church's teachings. Must have a minimum of a high school diploma. Bachelor's degree in theology, catechesis, religious education, or a related field preferred. 2 years experience in a catechetical ministry preferred. Please call the office at 618-594-2225 if you are interested and for more information.

**St. Augustine's Lady's Sodality is hosting their Church Rummage Sale** June 15-17. The hours are: Thursday June 15 from 4-8pm, June 16 from 9am-6pm(1/2 Price Day), & Saturday June 17 from 9am-12pm (\$4 Brown Bag Day).

### **A Message From the Diocese of Belleville**

As some of you have heard in the media, last Tuesday May 20th, the Illinois Attorney General released a report focusing on how the six Catholic dioceses of Illinois have handled allegations of sexual abuse against clergy. Bishop McGovern has prepared a letter, a video, and a brief document as an initial response to the Attorney General's report. Everyone is invited to review our Bishop's materials which you can access on the Diocese of Belleville's website, [www.diobelle.org](http://www.diobelle.org). We thank all who assist us in creating a safe environment for our young people in our parishes, schools, and PSR programs. May the holy Spirit help us to bring healing to those who are hurting and strength to continue the important work of safeguarding our youth.

### **Youth Ministry**

**Cheryl 526-7594, Rhonda 248-840-1857**

**Diane 526-4395 Angie 618-604-3116**

**Next Meeting:** The next Youth Ministry meeting will be June 4th at noon in St. Dominic's Cafeteria.

**Updates:** For Youth Ministry, events will be posted on Groupme. Download the Groupme app and please contact Cheryl, Rhonda, Angie or Diane to be added to the Groupme.

**There is a Teens Encounter Christ** weekend at Mater Dei High School, June 10-12. Discover a friendship with Christ and an encounter of Christ being alive in our midst. Anyone going into their junior year of high school and older are invited to attend. Contact a youth ministry leader for more information.

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**The Cupboards Are Bare --  
Society of St. Vincent De Paul Needs Your Help!**

**SPRING & SUMMER CLOTHES ARE NEEDED!  
We are always looking for men's jeans.**

**The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Belleville Council reports record numbers of people staying at its OverNite Center and 300+ people per day coming for meals at Cosgrove's Kitchen. With these increased numbers, there is an urgent need for food. We humbly ask for your prayers for SVDP and its clients and, if you are able, your donation of food (all kinds) that will be cooked and served at the soup kitchen and/or individually packaged food items (cookies, fruit cups, tuna and chicken snack packs, chips, crackers, cheese sticks, yogurt, cereal, instant oatmeal, Pop Tarts, breakfast bars, soup or pasta in a cup) to distribute at the OverNite Center.**



**St. Dominic Picnic is June 17th. Donations are needed for the basket raffle and the I DOOD IT for the picnic.** Great examples of baskets or containers are coolers, tool boxes, flower pots, backpacks, etc. that can be used to place items in. If you have anything to donate, you may place it in the breezeway. Please mark it for the picnic. If you would like to make a cash donation or donate any items, please place it in an envelope, or **have it marked "basket raffle" or "I DOOD IT"**.

Any donation would be greatly appreciated! You can bring your donations up to the Parish office.

**St. Damian and St. Bernard are hosting a Vacation Bible School this summer.** We are opening it up to any child in the area whose parents wish for their child to attend. It will be held June 12-16th at St. Damian Parish from 9-12. Please contact Denise Luitjohan at [denise\\_luitjohan@yahoo.com](mailto:denise_luitjohan@yahoo.com) or Deacon Glenn at [gnetemeyer@msn.com](mailto:gnetemeyer@msn.com) if you are interested.

At the close of our 2022-2023 school year, the **ASA Capital Campaign** has just reached over 2 million dollars of pledges toward our 2.8 million dollar estimate for the project. A big THANK YOU to all those who have already contributed or made a 5 year pledge toward our 2.8 million dollar Goal! If you haven't had the opportunity to donate yet, the ASA office will be open Monday-Thursday from 8am-Noon, or donate online at our website at [asasaints.com](http://asasaints.com).

**Retreat:** June 9-11 the cloistered Dominican nuns in Marbury, Alabama invite young women up to age 26 to draw closer to Jesus and Mary and learn more about their hidden vocation at the heart of the Order of Preachers. For more information or to register, visit: [MarburyDominicanNuns.org/Vocation-Retreat-June23](http://MarburyDominicanNuns.org/Vocation-Retreat-June23).

We have completed the season of Easter, celebrated the Birthday of the Church and once again will turn the page to Ordinary Time in our Liturgies. But that means anything but ordinary for Catholics. The programming on Covenant Network Catholic Radio will provide information and inspiration to enrich your faith journey and prayer life. Stay tuned to **Covenant Network on WRYT 1080 AM or 92.7 FM** or listen anytime on the Covenant Network app or at [OurCatholicRadio.org](http://OurCatholicRadio.org).

**Don't miss the Messenger's upcoming issues:** Graduation, Priest Jubilees, 6-Month Diocesan Calendar of Events, and the Picnics--you don't want to miss the picnics. Sign up for *The Messenger* today at [www.bellevillemessenger.org](http://www.bellevillemessenger.org), or call 618-233-8670.

### Pro-Life Corner

#### **Next Hours of Prayer:**

June 8th at St. Boniface in Germantown.

#### **"A Prayer for Pregnant Mothers"**

O Blessed Mother,  
You received the good news of the incarnation of Christ, your Son,  
with faith and trust. Grant your protection to all pregnant mothers  
facing difficulties.

The one who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord - Psalm 15

On Memorial Day, let us take a moment to honor those who gave their lives for our country. Our warmest wishes on Memorial Day, 2023, and deepest gratitude for the ultimate sacrifice of our fallen heroes.

**The cemetery mowing season** has begun. Our policy is to remove Memorial Day decorations by June 15, unless the flowers are placed in permanent vases that will not interfere with mowing and trimming. All decorations remaining after the indicated dates will be removed by the maintenance crew. They will also remove any spent flowers after a burial or special occasion.

#### **Donations for Textbooks:**

All Saints Academy Textbooks are over 20 years old. ASA is requesting assistance in replacing them. The cost of a single textbook is \$85. With the growing population of the school, 200 textbooks are needed. If any parishioners are interested in donating towards this worthy cause, please place a donation in the collection basket or drop it off at the Rectory or All Saints Academy. If there are any excess funds they will be used to update other textbooks.

St. Agatha Catholic Church will be hosting its rummage sale located at 205 S. Market Street New Athens, Illinois. It will be open at: Thursday, June 15 from 9am to 7pm, Friday, June 16 from 9am to 7pm (Items 1/2 price), & Saturday, June 17 from 9am to noon (\$4 Brown Bag Day).

Albers American Legion is serving a Dine-In/Carry-Out Father's Day breakfast from 8am - Noon on Sunday, June 18th. Adults - \$12, Kids(5-12) - \$6, and children under 5 eat free.

### MINISTERS OF THE MASS FOR JUNE 10th&11th

|              | USHERS                                                                                             | ALTAR SERVERS                                             | EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS                                                                                                           |                                                                                                                                               |
|--------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Sat. 5:30pm  | Kent Robben<br>Curt Weh<br>Bob Mensing<br>Rich Eilermann<br>Don Deiters<br>Tim Richter             | Rylan Bernadini<br><br>Jacob Faust<br><br>Cal Haag        | Jill Timmermann<br>Kate Rivera-Kunz<br>Mark Renschen<br>Laura Voss<br>Doug Kuhl<br>Cindy Kuhl<br>Vernon Mohesky<br>Lauren Melton | <b>LECTOR:</b><br>Bobbi Deters<br><br><b>ORGANIST/CANTOR:</b><br>Darlene/Ken S.<br><br><b>GIFT BEARER:</b><br>Mary Burns & Family             |
| Sun. 11:00am | Alan Grapperhaus<br>Cindy Grapperhaus<br>Marty Johnson<br>Darlene Ciborowski<br>Laurie Klostermann | Nick Muscarello<br><br>Bobby Niemann<br><br>Luke Pollmann | Ellen Wright<br>Beth Bedard<br>Norb Tebbe<br>Karen Lager<br>Diane Grapperhaus<br>Helen Essenpreis<br>Leslie Klay<br>Karen Lager  | <b>LECTOR:</b><br>Jan Deiters<br><br><b>ORGANIST/CANTOR:</b><br>Diane/Anne A.<br><br><b>GIFT BEARER:</b><br>Lisa Helmink &<br>Lynn Muscarello |